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WESTERLY HEARS OF BURGLARS

Cottages at Pleasant View Entered—Death of John Lathrop Clark, Native of Chaplin—Samuel Slocum a Patient at Backus Hospital—Mrs. Emma J. Sisson Taken to Norwich State Hospital.

John Lathrop Clark, formerly of Westerly, the oldest business man of Providence, and perhaps the senior member of the Masonic fraternity in the state, died Thursday night, from diseases incidental to age. He was born in Chaplin, Conn., Dec. 24, 1914, and was 79 years of age. Mr. Clark was president of the Clark Manufacturing company, Providence, and was in close touch with the business until two weeks prior to his death.

Early in life Mr. Clark learned the cabinet maker's trade, and went from Chaplin to Pawtucket, where he was employed in the furniture and undertaking business for a short time. He then came to Westerly and engaged in the furniture and undertaking business in West Broad street, in what is now known as the Rose building, as senior member of the firm of Clark & Hazard, later doing business at the corner of West Broad and Mechanic streets. Later Henry B. Gavit became interested in this firm, subsequently succeeding his brother, who was in the furniture business in Main street, the predecessor of the present H. B. Gavit company, conducted by Charles H. Gavit.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?
If tongue is coated or if cross, feverish, constipated give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign of little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the four wastes, the sour bile and fermenting food pass out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "inside" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

Auto Repairing and Painting
We repair autos of all kinds in the proper manner.
Latest Improved Facilities make our shop unequalled in New England.
We bake the paint on, which makes it wear better, keep its gloss longer, and will not crack.
Why not have yours done right? It costs no more.
Bentley-Clarke Auto Co.
28 Main St., Westerly, R. I.

that there had been some looting about as they left traces of having enjoyed a smoke, as tobacco and tin snuff were found. Just what property has been taken could not be definitely ascertained, but it is known that some plated cutlery and table linens have been stolen, besides quantities of canned goods and some bedding and minor household utensils.

Chief Brown was notified of the breaks on Saturday and went to Pleasant View. He found that the main entrance, a narrow passage near the terminal, had been entered by breaking out a pane of glass, turning the catch and raising the window, and like entrance was made into the Wheelock, Stillman and McKee cottages, while at two other cottages entrance was gained by the basement doors. The cottages at the end of the season take away all articles of extra value and leave only the plain furnishings in the cottages, therefore the thieves did not make very profitable hauls.

The Catholic club of Westerly and the Columbus club of Stonington are engaged in a tournament for the championship in the winter, the first event of the season taking place at the Catholic club rooms Friday night. In the pool match the play was as follows:

COLUMBUS.	WESTERLY.
Sullivan 47	Ward 13
McGowan 21	McGowan 21
Time 28	Gilmarin 32
Higgins 32	McCort 27
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The Catholic club won at whist by six points. The next event in the series will be at Stonington next Friday night.

At the funeral of Miss Margaret Mahoney a high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Michael's church Saturday, Rev. Dr. John Neale. The church was filled with the relatives and many beautiful flowers. Burial was in the old St. Michael's cemetery in the rear of the church. The bearers were William Fallon of Stonington, Andrew Fallon, James Fitzgerald, Patrick Sullivan, Daniel Quinn and William Neville.

John Ballinanti, whose home is at 90 Dean street, Providence, age 18, left for a trip around the world about Sunday before last. He reached New London Thursday and after a few hours there decided there was no place like home. So he started on the return trip, reaching Westerly Friday night, cold, tired, footsore and hungry. He was given lodging on a special cot in the warm new police station and when Chief Brown communicated by telephone with the boy's parents, Saturday a telegram order for a sufficient sum to pay the boy's fare to Providence was received and the chief sent him home on the noon train.

The Westerly fire companies will have representatives at the annual convention of the Rhode Island State Firemen's league to be held at the headquarters of the Providence Veterans Firemen's association on the 14th inst. The annual dinner will be followed by a business session. It is expected that several important matters will be discussed, and a movement will be made to secure affiliation with the league of every fire organization in the state in order to strengthen the efforts for the betterment of the firemen and their families.

Samuel Slocum was taken to Backus hospital, Norwich, Thursday and underwent an operation. He was very ill after the operation and on Saturday afternoon friends in Westerly were summoned to the hospital as it was not expected that Mr. Slocum would survive. His age and physical condition being prejudicial to his recovery. Mr. Slocum learned the stone cutter's trade when young and worked

at it until about three years ago. He served in the Civil war with Company E, Second Rhode Island regiment, was for many years a deacon of the First Baptist church and was treasurer up to a year ago. He resided at 34 Cross street. His wife died several years ago. He has a son who resides in Fall River. Later Sunday evening Mr. Slocum's condition was fairly comfortable.

Local Lancers.
Lavin R. Howard of Middleboro, Vt., has been elected principal of the North Kingston high school.
Albert E. Brownell, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Orville Randolph of Westerly, died Sunday at his home in Rehoboth, Mass.

Town Clerk Cassidy of West Warwick has issued a marriage license to Louis R. Davis of Attleboro and Katherine Heimerlich of Stonington.
Mrs. Emma J. Sisson, who was recently arrested for slander and subsequently discharged from arrest, was taken to the Norwich state hospital Saturday evening.

Charles Greene has filed a petition for divorce from Sarah McCoy Greene. The matter is returnable to the superior court for Washington county on the first Monday in February.

James Tillinghast, the oldest lawyer engaged in active practice in Rhode Island, died Saturday from an attack of heart failure while at his home in Providence. He was in his 84th year. Dr. E. R. Lewis' automobile struck a soft spot in West street Sunday morning, near Railroad drive, and sank to the hubs. It was hauled to a solid ground by a tow line from a trolley car.

John Austin West pleaded guilty to committing assault and battery upon Frank Mayo, alias "Banana Joe," when on duty as a police officer, on Saturday. A fine of \$10 and costs was imposed by Judge Williams, a total of \$12.50.

The officers and enlisted men of the First artillery district who are entitled to service medals have been notified to present them for them without delay if they are to be awarded at the time of the review to Governor Pothier on Jan. 26.

At the Sunday morning service in the Congregational church, Pawtucket, Rev. Samuel M. Cathcart, who has been pastor for six years, presented his resignation, to take effect April 1. The resignation was received with surprise and regret by the church members.

bert H. Langworthy of Westerly. Mr. Langworthy was elected a member of the house steering committee and Senator Arnold of the senate committee.

MYSTIC
Duerr-Greenley Marriage Announced—Dance Largely Attended—Shore Leave for Harold Rickerman.

Announcement has been made in Mystic of the marriage of Miss Bessie Greenley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenley of Church street, and Edward T. Duerr son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Duerr of High street, which took place in Providence, the pastor of the Fair Haven Methodist Episcopal church performing the ceremony.

Many Attend Dance.
There was a large attendance at the dance given in Mystic hall on West Main street. Grinnell's orchestra furnished music. Many from out of town, including guests from Groton, New London, Stonington and Westerly were present.

Heard and Seen.
Mrs. Herbert Porter and daughter Catherine of New York are visiting relatives in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oviatt have returned from a visit in New York.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Gray of Ledyard were guests of Mrs. Charles Stoddard Friday.

Bertram E. Thorpe of New London was in town Friday.
Enos M. Gray, Jr. of Ledyard, was a visitor in town Friday.

Miss Helen R. Huxley has returned to Palmer, Mass., after a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pierce.
Harold Rickerman of the U. S. S. Arkansas, now at the Brooklyn navy yard, is spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rickerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lamphere have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Doyle in Wiliamantic.
Miss Lottie Hatch of Boston is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Hatch.

Invitation for Tierney Cadets.
St. Patrick's Tierney cadets held a meeting Friday evening in Columbus hall. Six officers of the cadets have received invitations to attend the celebration of the second anniversary in New London by St. Mary's Tierney cadets. The appointments by Lieutenant Silva of New London are as follows: Sergeants, Joseph Peeney, John Indendohuen, corporals, Walter Shuman, August Indendohuen, Walter Hopwood and John Indendohuen. A committee of Henry Indendohuen, James Hopwood, Joseph Peeney, Edward Flynn, Joseph Curran, were appointed to make arrangements for purchasing uniforms for the members.

Law for Their Homes.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crocker of New Bedford, Samuel Dennis of Providence, Walter Dennis of Pawtucket, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell of Providence, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell and daughters, Miss Leora, Grace and Edith, and Mrs. George Mitchell of Hallowell, George Peckham, William F. Mitchell, Wells Mitchell of Greenport have returned to their homes after a visit with William W. Mitchell, being called here by the death of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Phoebe Mitchell.

Brief Local Notes.
Mr. and Mrs. Evelyn Chapman and daughter have returned to New London after a visit to Mr. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chapman.

Prof. Walter Wilcox has returned to Northfield after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren P. Rathbun.
Mrs. John Pearson of Hartford is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walworth Bentley.
Miss Gladys Wilcox has returned to New York after two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wilcox.

and Gardner are visiting on Staten Island.
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Edward Schofield has returned to Waterbury after a visit with his father, E. A. Schofield.
Cornelius Miner and daughter, Miss Grace Miner, are visiting the St. Peter's brother, Henry Miner, in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Alphonse Kennedy has returned to Quincy, Mass., after a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. R. R. Mattison.
Miss Alice Fish has returned from a visit in Killingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Felder spent Sunday in Wiliamantic.
Misses Jennie and Annie Felder have returned to Packer after ten days' vacation here.

Priz. Clyde T. Cheney has returned to New York after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flavien Cheney.
Mr. and Mrs. John De Ring, Newark, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Groton, Mr. and Mrs. Alice Jackson, and son Charles, Jr., of Newbury, N. J., have returned to their homes after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hancock.

St. S. Brown of Meriden and New Haven, and Mrs. Frank N. Gilliland of New Britain are guests of Mrs. John H. Hoxie.

Mrs. George Koeh has returned to her home in South Main street after spending the holidays with relatives in New Haven.

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Friends Prolong Christmas Joy for Miss Bertha Carroll—Recital by Miss Burrows' Pupils.

Miss Bertha Carroll of Elm street received a novel gift from her friends on New Year's day. This was in the form of a big bag containing small packages over many days is fully appreciated by her.

Pupils' Recital.
A piano recital was given by the pupils of Miss Hope Burrows, assisted by Miss Alberta Kelly with the violin. Recently those who assisted in the performance were Marie A. Thompson, Marion Hayes, Lois Butson, Mary E. Kelly, Mary E. Farnham, Helen Holaday, George Ryan, Viola Stone, Elmer Branch, Gladys Strong, Madeline Topping, Edwina P. Ryan and Miss Ada May Lavin. Only a small proportion of the pupils took part.

Mrs. William Dingle of Boston is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. George Bradlee of Spring street.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White and Robert Harrison of Groton have been calling on friends in the village formerly their home.

Sylvester Weeks of Providence is visiting his mother, Mrs. Augusta Weeks.
At Ansonia Wedding.
Capt. and Mrs. Allen Aahy have returned from a visit in Ansonia, where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Ashey's brother, Albert Dingle of Malden, Mass., and Miss Martha Tuttle of that city.

street, left Saturday to resume her duties in Meriden, where she is a teacher. Nelson Brown has returned to Sudbury, where he is attending the Connecticut Literary institute.
Schools will open today after a ten days' vacation.
Miss Ethel Latham will return today from Danvers, where she spent the week end.

COLCHESTER
Sunday in the Churches—Schools to Open Today—Personal Items.

At the Colchester Baptist church Sunday morning at 10:45 the pastor Rev. B. D. Remington gave a New Year's address after which the sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed. The church united with the Congregational church in a union service to be held in the Congregational church at 7 p. m. Rev. H. A. Blake, pastor of the Congregational church, delivered the address and Rev. Mr. Remington spoke also. Bacon Academy orchestra assisted in the praise service.

Baptist Church Meeting.
The meeting of the Colchester Borough Baptist church (Monday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.
Miss Anna Johnson has returned to her home in South Main street after spending the holidays with relatives in New Haven.

Services for the week of prayer will be held at the Baptist church Tuesday evening at the Congregational chapel Wednesday evening and at the Baptist church Thursday evening.

Sunday, Jan. 11th will be observed as Everybody's Church Sunday. It is hoped that all will attend service on that day and special services will be held at the Baptist church in the evening.

Calvin McCall, who is attending Trinity college, Hartford, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Miller's on Upper Broadway the past week.
Mrs. A. E. Cragin and daughter, Miss Ellen Cragin, have returned to their home on Broadway after several weeks' visit with Mr. Cragin's son, Dr. Edwin R. Cragin in New York.

Joseph Kelley of Middletown was a holiday guest of his father, Timothy F. Kelley on Pleasant street.
Miss Lillie B. Treat has left for a few weeks' visit with friends in New York.

End of Vacation.
Schools in town will open today (Monday).

Harry Jennings and George Smith of Norwich were visiting friends in town on the holiday, making the trip in Mr. Jennings' automobile.
Frank H. Bartlett of New Haven was a recent guest of friends in town.

SUDDEN DEATH.
The cold weather of late has made ice at the pond of E. E. Spicer. There has been a case of sudden death. There has been fear that ice would be secured in this vicinity. Skating on Nove's meadow is today. Schools of the village will open today.

J. Emerson, 60, was found dead in bed at home in Pineville about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Medical Examiner Dr. George M. Burroughs of Danvers was called and viewed the body. He pronounced death due to heart disease. Mrs. Emerson leaves one daughter, Mrs. William B. Lewis, of Ballouville.

LITTLE HOPE OF RECOVERY.
Sheriff Sibley Unconscious and Growing Weaker.
(Special to The Bulletin.)
Danielson, Jan. 4.—Sheriff Preston B. Sibley grew gradually weaker during Sunday and remained unconscious, as he has been all the time since he was injured last Friday afternoon. At 11 o'clock Sunday night he was clinging to life apparently by a very slender thread and at that time it seemed doubtful that he could live until morning. Practically all hope for his recovery has been abandoned.

POQUONOC
Health Officers Inspect Water Supply—Six-Inch Ice on Spicer's Pond.
(Special to The Bulletin.)
An investigation is being made of the condition of the pond at Poquonoc which furnishes the water supply. Saturday Dr. A. M. Purdy, health officer of the town, Dr. F. W. Hewes, health officer of Groton borough, Arthur M. Brown of Jewett City, county health officer, accompanied by Warden C. T. Lamphere, made a trip to the pond, the first of a series of visits. Health Officer Hewes in his last report laid stress on the fact that the water supply was important and that careful investigation of the watershed and the lands adjoining the pond, the removal of rubbish and decaying vegetable matter and permitting the sun to shine as much as possible in the pond were matters that needed particular attention. Frequent inspections were advised. The artesian well being sunk for test purposes near the pumping station has reached a depth of 85 feet and all the money appropriated for the purpose has been used. No satisfactory bottom has yet been reached. Plenty of water has been found, but the sand is too fine to allow of its use, as it would clog the pipe. A meeting of the committee, Thomas Avery, C. M. Shay, George Blidnerbeck, J. Frank Edmonds and Capt. E. T. Pettigrew, will be held soon to ascertain what is to be done in this respect.

Miss Ethel Trail will resume her duties in the office force of the New London Ship and Engine company this morning after a few days' illness.
Miss Florence Morrison of New London is at the postoffice after being ill at her home in New London.

Mr. L. Trail and Henry Trail have returned from a visit in New York.

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What's Rheumatism? 'Pain only! Stop drugging! Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" directly upon the "tender spot" and relief comes instantly "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism and sciatica cure which never disappoints and can not burn the skin.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN AWAY
Get a small trial bottle of old-time, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil."

A small trial bottle from your druggist and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer directly upon the "tender spot" and relief comes instantly "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism and sciatica cure which never disappoints and can not burn the skin. Limbs not stiff, complaining! Get relief and swelling.